Training of BSF personnel in foreign countries

3104. DR. M.A.M. RAMASWAMY: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether a proposal has been received by the Home Ministry from Border Security Force for permission to train BSF personnel in some friendly foreign countries; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the decision taken on this proposal?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SHRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) No specific proposal has been received from BSF seeking permission to train BSF personnel abroad.

(b) Does not arise.

Modalities for facing natural disasters

3105. SHRI RAVULA CHANDRA SEKAR REDDY: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to refer to answer to Unstarred Question 813 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 30th November, 2005 and state:

(a) whether Government had taken the financial assistance from World Bank and ADB;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the amount spent for each training?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. REGUPATHY): (a) No Sir.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

Demand for central aid for modernisation of police

3106. SHRI KALRAJ MISHRA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Haryana, Punjab, Jammu and Kashmir and different States including Delhi Government have sought Central aid for augmenting and modernising the police force;

(b) if so, the details of the aid sought; and

(c) the Central Government's response thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SHRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) to (c) Modernization of police force is a continuing process for which Government has been providing assistance to all the States, including Haryana, Punjab and Jammu and Kashmir, etc under the Scheme for Modernization of State Police Forces. A statement showing the Central funds released to the States under the Scheme, during 2005-06 (as on 30.11.2005) is at enclosed Statement (*See* below).

The Government allocates funds in the annual budget grant of Delhi Police every year as per its requirement. The sanctioned budget grant of Delhi Police for the year 2005-06 is Rs. 1235.64 crore (non-plan) and Rs. 110 crore (Plan).

Statement

Funds released by Centre for modernisation of Police

Total funds available under MPF Scheme during 2005-06 is Rs. 900 crore

(Rs. in crore)

Name of State	Funds released (as on 30.11.2005).
1	2
Andhra Pradesh	76.67
Arunachal Pradesh	0.71
Assam	47.76
Bihar	3.96
Chhattisgarh	18.47
Goa	00.00
Gujarat	26.30
Haryana	14.39
Himachal Pradesh	0.37
Jammu and Kashmir	82.20
Jharkhand	24.47
Karnataka	47.00
Kerala	17.25
Madhya Pradesh	25.96
Maharashtra	33.26

1	2
Manipur	10.18
Meghalaya	2.48
Mizoram	0.92
Nagaland	00.00
Orissa	19.03
Punjab	13.84
Rajasthan	26.63
Sikkim	1.83
Tamil Nadu	52.75
Tripura	3.96
Uttar Pradesh	77.00
Uttaranchal	5.50
West Bengal	16.62
TOTAL:	649.51

The items for which funds were released include improved mobility, modern weaponry, equipment for security/intelligence/traffic management/modern investigation tools, residential and non-residential buildings, communication/surveillance equipment, etc.

Supply of weapons to naxal groups

3107. SHRIMATI VANGA GEETHA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the weapons supplied by Pakistan's ISI to Assam's outfit ULFA are finding their way to naxal groups spread across 11 States;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the steps to be taken by Government to stop such activities in future?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SHRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) There has been no specific report to indicate supply of weapons by ULFA to the Indian naxal groups.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.